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**WHISKY**  
*Distillers.*

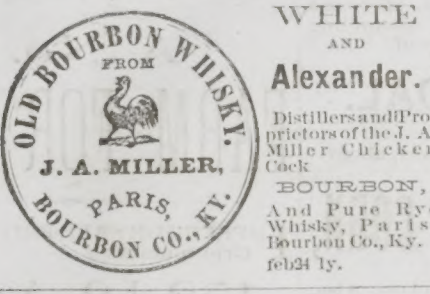
  
**GRAY & CRAIG,**  
Distillers of  
**STRAIGHT COPPER WHISKY,**  
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Manufacturers and Dealers in  
**PURE BOURBON WHISKY,**  
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Feb 24 ly.

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**BOURBON & RYE WHISKY,**  
Feb 24 ly. CYNTHIANA, KY.

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**PURE BOURBON WHISKY,**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
Feb 24 ly.

**COOK & ASHBROOK,**  
Distillers of  
**"A Keller" BOURBON WHISKY,**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
Feb 24 ly.

  
**WHITE AND Alexander,**  
Distillers and Proprietors of the J. A. Miller Whisky, Paris, Bourbon Co., Ky.  
Feb 24 ly.

**Lair, Redmon & Co.**  
Distillers of  
**Pure Bourbon Whisky,**  
AT  
Berryville, near Cynthiana, Ky.  
Feb 24 ly.

**T. J. Megibben and Bro,**  
Distillers of  
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Feb 24 ly.

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**C. MUSSER,**  
Wholesale Dealer in Pure  
**KENTUCKY BOURBON WHISKY,**  
(In Bond and Free.)  
Feb 24 ly. CYNTHIANA, KY.

**D. W. JUETT,**  
Wholesale Dealer in Pure  
**BOURBON WHISKY,**  
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For the sale of  
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In Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, North  
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Feb 24 ly. Cynthiana, Ky.

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Dealers in  
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Main St., Cynthiana, Ky.  
Feb 24 ly.

**WHISKY**  
*Cincinnati.*

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
DEALERS IN  
**Pure Bourbon & Rye Whiskies,**  
In original packages.  
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And Dealers in  
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Catawba Brandy and Whiskies re-distilled  
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Saw Mills, Reed's patent Wheat and Corn Mills,  
Rolling Chutes, Gun and Leather Belting fur-  
nished to order.  
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And manufacturers of the celebrated Copper  
Bourbon Stills, with steam Jackets.  
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**Robson & Co.,**  
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Brass Founders,  
Wrought Iron Piping, Steam fitters and gen-  
eral Distillery work.  
Feb 24 ly.

**Ohio Machine Works.**  
43 & 45 Broadway,  
Opposite Broadway Hotel.  
Manufacturers of  
**ENGINES, BOILERS,**  
Saw Mill, Distillery and Flouring Mill Ma-  
chinery.  
Feb 24 ly.

**The De Bus Tub & Cooperage Co.**  
Nos. 696 to 680 ELM STREET,  
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DISTILLERY & BREWERY  
Feb 24 ly. Work done to order.

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MANUFACTURERS OF  
**Cistern, Well, Factory, Distillery,**  
And Steam Pumps. Steam and Water pipe,  
fitting &c.  
Feb 24 ly.

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**LANE & BODLEY,**  
JOHN & WATER ST., CIN. O.  
Manufacturers of  
**STEAM ENGINES,**  
Distillery, Grist Mill, and Saw Mill Ma-  
chinery.  
Feb 24 ly.


**James, Hinnau & Co.,**  
COPPERSMITHS,  
Nos. 181 & 183 East Front Street,  
Cincinnati, O.  
Manufacturers of Engine and Distillery  
work of all kinds, such as Alcohol Stills,  
Columns, Pumps of all kinds.  
Feb 24 ly.

**WHISKY**  
*Distillery Works*

**Wm. Kirkup & Son.,**  
**BRASS FOUNDERS**  
And Manufacturers of  
**Steam & Water Gauges**  
Valves, Distillery Work, &c.  
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**I. & E. GREENWALD,**  
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STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS,  
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Mill Machinery of every Description.  
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**McILVAIN & SPIEGEL,**  
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Second-hand Boilers always on hand—  
Repairing done with promptness and on  
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PATENT STEAM PUMPS,  
Boiler-feeders, and whisky  
pumps made of brass or iron,  
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sizes, kept constantly on hand  
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Importers of the genuine dutch anchor brand  
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ent-Stretched  
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STANDARD  
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Of all kinds. Also,  
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Drawers &c., &c.  
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BELL  
**FOUNDRY!**  
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Manufacturers of improved  
**FIRE & BURGLAR PROOF SAFES,**  
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Instruments rented so that the rent will  
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Show Cards, Bill Heads, Letter Heads,  
Maps, Diplomas, Portraits, &c., engraved in  
best style. Also Publishers Masonic & Odd  
Fellows Charts and Diplomas.  
Feb 24 ly.

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Wholesale  
**Stationers, Printers, Binders,**  
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Corner of Front & Broadway,  
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OWING TO A GREAT REDUCTION IN  
our rates we have determined to re-  
duce our rates to  
**\$2 PER DAY,**  
Our accommodations shall be second to no  
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W. A. THURSTON, Prop'r.  
February 17, 1869-3m.

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**HILL & SMITH,**  
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Agents for sale of all the celebrated brands  
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to shipment of Whisky, Hemp, Grain,  
&c., &c.  
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Pine, Hemlock, Flooring, Siding, Shingles  
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Prompt attention to all orders.  
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For  
**Coopers and Distillers Use,**  
At Cincinnati prices. Call and see  
LONGMORE & BRO.  
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**FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY**  
OF LONDON,  
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Cash Capital paid up and Invested  
Funds exceeding \$5,000,000.  
**\$560,000 Invested in the U. S.**  
Insurance against Fire effected on Houses  
and Buildings, Merchandise, on Whisky in  
Bond, &c.

**THE REPUTATION AND STANDING**  
which this Company has secured dur-  
ing the sixty-five years it has transacted  
business throughout the world, together  
with the large and undoubted security it  
offers for all its obligations, will, it is hoped,  
secure for it a share of the public patronage.  
All losses of this Agency will be lib-  
erally adjusted and promptly paid here.  
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No. 30 West Third Street,  
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Having made surveys of nearly all of the  
Distilleries and Bonded Warehouses in the  
6th and 7th Districts of Kentucky, I am  
prepared to write large lines on the same  
in the above and other first class compa-  
nies.

*REFERENCES.*  
Messrs. David Gibson & Co.,  
" Guys & Holterhoff,  
" Boyle, Miller & Co.,  
" Heffner Bros.,  
" Jos. S. Cleary & Co.,  
" Mohr, Solomon & Mohr,  
" John D. Hinde Esq.,  
" Henry E. Harper Esq.,  
" John L. Pugh Esq.,  
February 17, 1869-1m.

**Wm. H. COX,**  
AGENT  
**HOME INSURANCE COMP.**  
NEW HAVEN.  
Total Assets, **1,619,070.34.**  
*EDITORIAL.*

Prior to the enactment of the In-  
ternal Revenue laws, no one outside of  
a Kentucky distillery could have assur-  
ance of buying pure bourbon whisky.  
Those laws now come between the dis-  
tiller and the consumer as an insurance  
a guaranty and a warranty. Thus—  
The mash is put in the mash-tub under  
the eye of an officer of the United States.  
It passes through the still under the eye  
of an officer of the United States. It is  
barrelled, inspected, gauged, marked,  
branded, and when freed from bond,  
delivered by an officer of the United  
States. The marks and brands and ac-  
companying official papers designate  
each separate cask, the name, place,  
and district of the maker, and dates of  
handling. The benefit of this govern-  
mental supervision of the manufacture  
and trade is most marked in this the  
"bourbon region." Ever since the first  
settlement of Kentucky this whisky has  
been famous, and so real and sure was  
the foundation of its popularity that to-  
day it is known to the exclusion of all  
others as the whisky for drinking and  
other such purposes. Heretofore, the  
public although they preferred "bour-  
bon" whenever they wanted whisky for  
family or personal uses, could have no  
real assurance of the genuineness of  
what was given them as such, for the  
country was full enough of unscrupu-  
lous men who would brand whisky  
made any where and of any quality  
"Old Bourbon" and no one would be  
the wiser.

The effect of the supervision of the  
government is displaying itself in this  
region, in the number and extent of the  
distilleries in operation and process of  
erection, and shows at once two things;  
first that the demand for Kentucky  
Bourbon is real and firmly established,  
and second that the trade will have no  
superior articles so long as they are pro-  
tected and guaranteed in dealing in the  
genuine.

While in Cincinnati last week we went to see Lotta, at Wood's Theatre. At the close of the piece, upon turning to go out, we were horrified to observe what, had it occurred to us as we went in, would have marred our enjoyment for the evening, had it not indeed com- pelled us as a matter of principle to go back and forego the anticipated pleas- ure of hearing and seeing the little char- mer.

There is a truth and a right and a fairness involved in all the transactions of men by whatever means or for what- ever purpose they be brought in contact, whether direct or indirect, or to a great- er or lesser degree, that no one can ig- nore or forego without doing injustice to himself and violence to a matter of principle.

We were horrified at discovering that the outlet to the Theatre was so difficult of access, and so narrow and steep and high, that no trifling accident or panic could occur in the audience that would not surely result in loss of life or limb, and no serious one that would not as- surely cost the lives of the greater num- ber of whoever should be so unfortu- nate as to be present on such an occasion, whether great or small, strong or feeble, man or woman.

As we stood patiently waiting for the crowd to move out by the steep narrow stairs, we estimated that the house could burn up three times while being emptied on an occasion like this with no undue excitement or haste. And we could not but estimate the effect of a fire behind the scenes on some night when like this the house should be packed above and below—the wild rush of strong men tramping down all in their way—the shrieks and frantic cries and hubbub and fierce struggles of an ungovernable mob of furious men and women strug- gling like wild beasts to reach the stair- way, only to be pitched down it head- long and crushed to death by the frantic mob behind them.

This theatre is only biding its time to go out of existence some fine night in a conflagration sending to the skies in its smoke and glare, the horrid in- cense of the burning bodies of a thou- sand men, women and children.

We advise our readers by all means to keep away from this theatre. In case of accident, even those nearest the stair- way could not escape, for they would be trampled to death by those behind them. Those near the center would be doomed without hope. That the city authorities do not indict this theatre, is no warrant that it is all right and safe. It is a proper matter for the press to in- dict and hold up to the indignation and scorn of the people, without whose consent and support such death-trap can not live for a day.

It has been suggested that it would be well for Kentucky people to concentrate on two or three stopping places in Cincinnati so that they could take for granted that friends in the city could be heard of at one or the other of them.

In making such rendezvous, prefer- ence should of course be given to houses that are bidding for Kentucky custom, for in everything the man who solicits your custom will treat you at least as well as he who does not.

Mr. Thurston, formerly of Paris, is bidding for Kentucky custom and keeps his house, the Metropolitan, full of Kentucky people. This house charges \$2 per day and is in every respect fully equal to the best second class city hotels. Messrs. Drown & Sweny of the Spencer are bidding also for Kentucky custom. There is a strictly first class house equal to the best and in point of atten- tion to guests perhaps superior to any hotel in Cincinnati. Their charges are higher than the Metropolitan and al- though in many respects superior to the "grand, gloomy, and peculiar" Burnet, its charges are half a dollar a day less than that house.

These two hotels are near each other, are near the river, and are near the bridge. Between them they offer ev- erything our people visiting the city could reasonably desire. If to be treated well and save a few dollars be the ob-

ject the Metropolitan is at your service, if greater style and equal safety and good treatment be desired, there is the Spen- cer.

These proprietors having guaranteed personally to us that they would pro- tect their guests from imposition, and in every way treat them kindly; if they should fail in their promise we will hold them to account to us, for we will not trifle with the interests of our read- ers, nor be made a medium for injus- tice on any one.

We cannot too earnestly call the attention of our people to the fact that they ought under all circumstances to give preference to home dealers and pro- ducers, to those at a distance. Our mer- chants here can and we believe they do sell everything in their line as low as the same quality of article can be got for at the river especially when freight and trouble are counted in. In addition to that there is another and even better reason why home should have the preference. You know the dealers here and they know you. Their word is good for whatever they say. They helped build the town, they invest their money here and are of the people. They have more interest in dealing fairly with you than they have in faking any little mean advantage of you. They expect to see you again. Now this is not so with distant towns. There is another reason, when you leave ten dollars in Cynthi- ana or in any of our home towns, you have a chance to see it again. The mer- chant or mechanic to whom you give it for value received will want directly or indirectly something that you have for sale, and the very money you paid him will enable him to buy. Now when you go off to buy things that you can get at home you rob yourself. You help to that extent to make times hard and ten to one you get caught in a pinch for a few dollars that might have come back to you a dozen times had you left it where it could get back. This thing looks small in detached cases, but put all together it might make a difference of a hundred thousand dollars in the amount of money in circulation in the county in the course of two or three months. In unity there is strength, and our people must hang together if all generally and each individually would do well.

At a meeting of the members of the Turnpike, leading from Cynthiana to the Scott line, via. Connersville, held in the Court House in Cynthiana, Feb. 20, 1869, the following board of officers were nominated and unanimously elect- ed: Elijah Kirtley, President; Wm. B. Renaker, A. P. Boyers, Jas. Tobbs and Louis L. Conner Directors.

Motion was made and seconded that Mr. Kirtley take the Chair.

Motion was made by Mr. Boyers that a committee be appointed to canvass the city of Cynthiana for the benefit of our road, carried. Wesley Annemman, Jas. Tobbs and Abbot Wigglesworth were appointed.

Motion by Jas. Tobbs, that every stock holder is authorized to take sub- scriptions; seconded, and carried.

Motion made and seconded that the shares be \$50; carried.

On motion the meeting adjourned sine die.

A. CONNER, Recording Sec'y.

Four friends who travel back and forth to Missouri, we can recommend the old reliable Ohio & Mississippi Rail- road, which is a direct, cheap and re- sponsible line. This road makes close connections and has every appliance for the comfort of its passengers.

Cynthiana wants more brick makers and layers. Although a hun- dred houses will be begun within thirty days, there is not a brick for sale at any price. Mechanics of all kinds can come to Cynthiana without any hesitation. There will be more work done here this season than has been done in the last five years.

Among the projects on foot for Cynthiana are, a railroad to Carlisle, another to Georgetown, various turn- pikes, a new bank, an insurance com- pany, a joint-stock building company, a brewery, a joint-stock institution of learning, a co-operative company, another bridge, and various private enterprises in the way of building numerous and costly residences, mills and tenements.



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**CYNTHIANA, KY.,**  
THURSDAY FEB. 25, 1869.

Is it not a little strange that our brethren of the press do not notice the triumph of the people over the railroad? Can it be because they did not assist in the fight that they are now mute over the victory? Who are these editors? What are they? How comes it that they have charge of the people's press, and yet are silent in the people's interests. Does a paper support its people, or the people their paper? Which is master, and which servant?

It is pretty good when a paper can keep its mouth shut while its patrons want it to speak. Whenever a newspaper neglects wilfully to express the sentiments of its supporters, or in any way grossly neglects their interests, it loses its claim upon them, and not only is not entitled to their support, but deserves their opposition individually and collectively. A community by sustaining a paper with its patronage that takes part against them, or that fails to take part for them, simply robs themselves. If the people support the paper it should support the people. If it supports a corporation with which the people are in conflict, let the corporation pay it, and the people also if they are fools. These must be high and grand gentry who stand by with their hands in their pockets, puffing a corporation that the people say is robbing them. What claims have they upon the people for support. Who are they? What manner of men are they? Upon what meat have they fed, that they have grown so great? If they puff the road, let the road puff their pockets.

We hope it is not a petty jealousy against Harrison county that makes them so mute. Governor Stevenson is reported to have said that nobody was making a fuss about the road except Harrison. Nobody built much of the road except Harrison. A Harrison paper made the fight here, and the Senator from Harrison made the fight at Frankfort. Good friends do not be afraid of making Harrison prominent in your little sheets. She is taking her true position before the world as the leading county in Kentucky, and nothing you can say will either put her ahead or set her back a particle. Fear not little ones.

We appear this week as the organ of the People and the Kentucky bourbon whisky trade. These interests are in no way in conflict but harmonious and identical. There is little surplus money in this part of Kentucky that is not in one way or other invested or interested in whisky. This is the leading interest here, and it is making the country both rich and famous. Its influence is not limited to the private interests of the distillers or dealers, but reaches in some way every art and occupation that is plicated amongst us. The erection of another mammoth distillery here is like opening another vein of mineral in a mining center. It increases the demand for labor, and home produce, and brings here to be a part of our general wealth, the profit between the cost of manufacture and sale price. As it is sold to distant buyers, it draws this profit money of course from strangers, and increases our wealth and business facilities absolutely to that extent.

Besides all this it increases our appearance of prosperity which is as attractive in a town or community as in an individual, and in the same way of material and monied benefit. It encourages increase of population, additional enterprise, new kinds of manufactures and general public spirit and improvement.

Big CEDAR, HARRISON Co., Ky., Feb. 16, 1869.  
Messrs Editors:  
As you have done a good job in advocating the reduction of high toll on the K. C. Railroad, I wish to call your attention to the high toll and bad condition of the Cynthiana, Buddies Mills and Millersburg Turnpike road. Having had occasion to do some hauling over that road last week, I was charged 21 cents per mile for a four horse team. I could scarcely pull the load over the two mile I traveled on account of the bad condition of the road. I hauled the same load from Oddville, a distance of six miles, with comparative ease and on a much better road at a cost of tollage not quite 16 cents per mile. Now Messrs Editors why is this difference? If it is lawful for the Buddies Mills road to charge 21 cents per mile with its road dreadfully out of repair, it is all right; but if it is not lawful, it is all wrong. By answering through your valuable paper you will much oblige the traveling public, and a subscriber,

THOS. A. ROBERTSON.

A certain Paris paper says it is informed by Mr. Keith, the president of the Kentucky Central Railroad, that it is the intention of the road to contest the late act of the Legislature reducing its freight charges, and that if it does not win, "it will amount to a prohibition of local freights."

Upon this vile threat the aforesaid paper has no comment to make. We have. We say now to the Kentucky Central, that whenever it undertakes to prohibit Harrison county freight from passing over it at lawful rates, or under any circumstances, that it will feel, and quickly, the heavy hand of an outraged and indignant people.

In all that we have said about this road, as the organ of the people and defender of their rights under the law, we have softened their manner of speaking of it, and have never expressed fully their bitter indignation and hate of it and its managers.

"The road will stand by the law then if the law will agree with it!" otherwise it will not carry any freight! Pretty good for the road. If it does not conform to the law; if it refuses to carry Harrison county freight; and afterwards runs a train through Harrison county, it can have our best hat upon demand.

While in Covington last week, Mr. Keith told us he would like to make an agreed case before the courts, so that the question between the road and the people could be decided authoritatively without expensive delay. He expressed to us a perfect willingness to abide the decision of the court—which he could not help do. He did not intimate to us the threat made through the paper aforesaid.

The scaring faculties of Harrison have been overestimated somewhere in this connexion. Who has made the mistake it is not worth while here to surmise.

O! terrible man! will you indeed do what you say?

To our friends at home and abroad who have sent us various communications and articles for publication, we tender our thanks and request a continuance of their favors. Sometimes like the present, some that we would especially like to insert are necessarily crowded out. If our friends will please continue to send nevertheless, and permit us to retain their articles and insert them whenever our space will permit, we will be specially obliged. Those we have shall appear whenever we can get them in. One particularly, from Rev. B. N. Carter, of Williamstown entitled "Recollections No. 2."

It may be as well to say here for the benefit of the new hands into which we will fall this week in various parts of the United States, that this is our first issue as the organ of the Kentucky bourbon whisky trade; that we have heretofore been known as the HARRISON Democrat, of which most business men of the United States have heard by seeing whisky articles copied from it into the leading Cincinnati, New York, Chicago and New Orleans papers, as well as the country press generally. The whisky cards that appear this week are the result of a single weeks solicitation, and but a beginning of what we expect.

In the matter of transient advertisements, those like things "for sale," which people want inserted a few times only, our terms are lower than our neighbor papers although we print more and are read by more people than any of them. Instead of measuring our space by the line, we measure it by the inch, so that any one can estimate the cost of anything he wants to advertise by ordering certain matter to be put in a certain number of inches for a certain number of times or months. For an inch of space one insertion we charge 75 cents, and for each subsequent insertion 50 cts, or 12 months for \$12. If a paper that prints 750, charges the same rates even that we do, and we print 1,500, which is the better investment? Please think of this and count it up.

The Legislature has chartered a branch railroad from this place to Mt. Sterling, and on to Frankfort via, Cynthiana. If we are to judge from the movements of the of Harrison county people, we think it will not be long before the road to Cynthiana will be made. The Whisky interests of that county, alone, demand the road. As we have one of the most productive corn counties in the State, it would be well for the distillers of Harrison to subscribe liberally to the enterprise and urge its early completion, as when finished, they could get this great necessary at half the present cost and trouble. Go on gentlemen of Cynthiana and Harrison with the good work and may success attend your undertaking.—Carlisle Mercury.

According to information from the Internal Revenue Department the low tax on whisky has been a decided success. It is estimated upwards of forty million dollars will be derived from this source during the fiscal year exclusive of the amount paid in on account of whisky in bond.

We clip from the Lexington, Kentucky Gazette, the following handsome compliment to our young county-man, who is a student at Washington College, Lexington, Va:

At the anniversary of Graham Society connected with Washington College among others who spoke was Lucius Desha, Jr., of Harrison Co., Kentucky, and a correspondent sends us the following sketch of his speech. Our correspondent speaks in the highest terms of the youthful orator and says he has greatly distinguished himself in College. He is a son of General Lucius Desha, and brother of Capt. Joe Desha, C.S.A., well known for his gallantry during the "late unpleasantness," by the members of Hanson's Brigade.

"Is the maxim 'OUR COUNTRY RIGHT OR WRONG' a justifiable one?" He showed the importance of a motto as a national educator; and claimed that a true one should embody the purest principles expressed in the most unambiguous terms.

He urged as objections to the one in question that it placed "our country" superior to the principles which should perpetuate and protect it; that it erected a false standard of morality, and sets at defiance the laws of God; that it justifies in nations and by the same principle in individuals that which is wrong; that it leads to fanaticism and, under the idea that the will of the people is the law of the land, sanctions and encourages the unjust oppression of minorities; takes away religious and political toleration; destroys freedom of speech and of the press; and leaves the rights of individuals at the mercy of the mob.

He maintains that by pledging unqualified support to country, and therefore to its authorized governments the minds of rulers are filled with the idea of their supremacy, and the result is despotism; that when governments become corrupt they cannot be changed or brought back to the right except by opposition.

He insisted that this was not a question of opposition, but of support; that although a man should not take up arms alone against his government, still it is his duty to oppose the wrong wherever found; and that common sense and his obligations to God and man must determine the mode and extent of this opposition; he must not by silence consent to error, much less uphold and maintain it, and, according to his influence and ability is he responsible for his conduct in this regard; that all great revolutions had been achieved by individuals; that it was not for any man to deny his duty, his calling and his mission, which are always to maintain the right. And in conclusion, he proclaimed it false patriotism to follow and encourage "our country in the wrong."

Our correspondent adds: He did not fail to elicit repeated applause. It was in the depth of winter. I noticed that several beautiful bouquets were presented by the darlings of the ladies. I may state that Mr. Desha sustains equally as high a position in his classes as in the debating society. Nay, he stands even higher. The prospects are quite good for him to receive the Robinson Prize Medal as evidence of his attaining the highest degree of general scholarship among the graduates in the schools of Latin, Greek and Mathematics. The number of Kentucky students here is about forty-five, and as a body, they acquitted themselves handsomely at the Intermediate Examinations just finished.

COLUMBIA, ADAIR Co., Ky., Feb. 20th, 1869.  
Editor Cynthiana Democrat:

I take the liberty to write briefly on a subject which I think your county as well as ours feels great interest in, to-wit: The Nicholasville Kentucky and McMinnville Tennessee, Railroad now being warmly discussed. We are anxious to build this important road opening up a market with Cincinnati, and connecting the North and South, making a short and direct line, and a paying road,—which is beyond doubt. Some 12 years ago, this road was surveyed from Danville, Ky., to McMinnville, Tenn., and pronounced good and practicable, and from some unknown cause it fell. Now our farmers are very anxious for it to spring up again and we think if Cincinnati and yourad, joining counties will assist us, we will build it. It passes through good average counties as the two States have, in point of soil and coal and oil. As tobacco and wheat growing counties, we are more than average, and the only thing we need is this Road. Tennessee is now building her part to the Kentucky line, and shall it stop there? I hope and think not. Last Summer we voted a tax for the Elizabethtown, Ky., and Sparta Road, but this has been killed by Cumberland County, and Larue voting against it. Out of five counties on the route Cumberland is in favor of this Road. A glance at the map will show the importance of this route crossing Cumberland River, at or near Burksville, Ky.

As an old farmer and citizen with many others, you will oblige us if it meets your notion to urge this. We are in earnest.

Very Respectfully,  
ADAIR Co., FARMER.  
From the Georgetown Times.  
Ten years ago the population of Georgetown was greater than that of Paris—our business larger than that of Cynthiana. How stands the case today? Paris has troubled her population and business, and Cynthiana is going ahead with a rush truly surprising. And look at busy little Midway, that

will soon outstrip old foggy Versailles—a second Georgetown. Call to mind all the railroad towns in the State, and contrast them with towns that do not possess these advantages. See what the railroad has done—will continue to do, for Richmond, Elizabethtown and many others we might mention.

Talk to our people about the necessity of a railroad, and nine out of ten will readily admit it, but admissions and talk without a corresponding effort won't help along the enterprise. If our people want a railroad, and we believe they do, now is the time to work for it, and not a day is to be lost. This is our last and our only chance. If the opportunity is neglected it will not present itself again. There will probably be a contest between Bourbon and Harrison for the road from Carlisle. If Bourbon gets it Scott will lose it. An earnest and immediate effort and co-operation between Harrison and Scott are necessary—the quicker that effort assumes some definite shape the better. We promise the Harrison Democrat to co-operate heartily with it, and to the best of our ability, in its efforts to push forward this great proposed enterprise.

[For the Cynthiana Democrat.]

This is a proverb current in Europe—countries which runs as follows: "By the road of by-and-by one arrives at the town of Never," this seems to me admirably suited to the intellectual digestion of every one in the community who is directly or indirectly interested in educational affairs. During the past year there have been many indications of a wholesome dissatisfaction with the existing educational status of the community, and of an aspiration after something better. Recently however, these lamentations have become more subdued in tone and the whispers of a "college" have become fainter until there appears to be reasonable grounds to fear that they may soon die away altogether, and with them the hopes to which they gave origin. That this will not be the fault of the Democrat, the able and sensible articles which have recently appeared in its columns are a sufficient attestation. They strike directly at the root of the whole matter, the primary and essential prerequisite of any considerable or valuable advance in an elevation of the standard of home training and a more intelligent cooperation with the teacher.

As there seems to be a vagueness in some quarters, and in others a contrary of opinion respecting the educational requirements of the place, permit me to submit a few reflections which seem favorable to the establishment upon a permanent basis of a city free school, and with it a first class High school in preference to a college. In the first place, such an educational provision is level to the requirements of the majority. There are few that have the time, the means and the inclination to complete a regular collegiate curriculum. How many of the youths of Harrison county have in times past gone forth to drink of the springs of Knowledge which are vulgarly supposed to flow fast by college walls. If we had such an institution in our midst now, how many are there who are prepared to participate in its advantages? As a local enterprise, untrammelled by any sectarian bias, and unassisted by religious or denominational influence, it must depend upon local patronage, because students from abroad will naturally flow to institutions of greater age and reputation, to graduate at which, we will confer some prestige. Then, have we the local patronage to justify a college, to build it up, and render it valuable? As each individual answers this question in his own mind, so will he be in favor of or against the proposed movement. I think it is greatly to be feared that, were all financial difficulties removed, which, however, will not be found to be the least in the way, and the "college" placed on a permanent footing, it would add another to the already too numerous, languishing, equivocal affairs of the kind which we have in this country,—neither college nor grammar school, but performing, and very imperfectly, the functions of both.

The article of education issued at which reminds one very forcibly of the Spanish dish "olla podrida,"—composed of a little of everything and very little of anything. Almost every village in the State can boast its college, which confidently promises to unfold to the tender tyro, all the mysteries of science and the whole range of human philosophy, beginning with Webster's spelling book and concluding with Newton's Principia. But High Schools modestly circumscribing themselves within the limits of their capabilities are few indeed, like *Æneas'* shipwrecked mariners.

"*Rare apparent nauites in gurgite casto.*" The great characteristic of the nation does not desert us here, as in most other things, so also in educational matters we are too fast. We desire to become butterflies without first being chrysalides; we clamor for colleges and universities rivaling Oxford, Cambridge and Heidelberg and entirely ignore the gymnasia of Germany, and Elton and Rugby and the other great primary schools of England; but "vaulting ambition o'erleaps itself" and facts as familiar as household words prove that we are sacrificing thoroughness for the sake of outward semblance.

The free school system is to well known and appreciated to need explanation or defense. It is for primary education at least, rapidly superseding all others. Most of the cities of our Commonwealth have tested it and with distinguished success. As one grand feature of the Christian religion is that the poor have the gospel preached them, so a distinguishing characteristic of the civilization of the day is that the poor are to be educated.—Let us keep step with the progress of the age. M.

**Carpenters.**  
**J. M. DILL,**  
Contractor & Builder  
Walnut St., South of Warnock's Stable.  
**CYNTHIANA, KY.**

**KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND EVERY DESCRIPTION OF LUMBER, at Cincinnati prices. Also,**  
**SASH, DOORS, BLINDS,**  
And all manner of material for building purposes, for sale.  
He is also prepared to contract for building houses from the stump.  
Having secured the services of a first-class stair builder, he is prepared to put all kinds of  
**STAIR-WAYS,**  
As cheap as it can be done in Cincinnati.  
**Time! Time! Time!**  
Having purchased 30,000 bushels of lime, I am now prepared to sell cheaper than CINCINNATI PRICES.  
J. M. DILL.

**J. E. DICKEY,**  
**PIKE STREET,**  
Five doors East of Main, deals in Family Groceries, Confections, Christmas Toys,  
Has a large and varied assortment of every thing in his line, and hopes by diligent attention to business, and fair prices to share the patronage of the public.  
**OYSTERS,**  
The finest market affords, by the can, or served to suit customers.  
Dec. 16, 1868-19.

**Howell & Clendening,**  
Dealers in  
**WHITE LEAD, PAINTS,**  
Oils, Varnish, Brushes, Glass &c.  
**638 Madison St.,**  
Covington, Ky.

WE are practical Painters of 20 years experience. Parties ordering by mail can rely on getting a  
**PURE ARTICLE.**  
All stock being chosen with great care, and in fact as low as they can be bought in any other market.  
February 3, 1869-6m.

**Flouring Mill**  
**MACHINERY,**  
**FOR SALE!**  
ONE BOILER, 28 feet long, 42 inches diameter, ONE ENGINE, 9 1/2 inch bore X 24 inch stroke.  
**Two Run Portable Mills,**  
One 40 inch stone, the other 30 inch stone, 1 chest Bolt for Flour, 1 Bolt for Buckwheat or Rye, 1 Corn Bolt, 1 Vandergrift's  
**Smut Mill,**

One Rolling Screen, Conveyors and Elevators, Belting, Water Tank, Gearing, &c., and in fact all necessary for a good Merchants Flouring Mill, in good running order. For further information apply at his office.  
Dec. 16, 1868-19.

**WM. M. NOURSE,**  
House, Sign and Ornamental Painter,  
Grainer, Glider & Paper Hanger,  
AND DEALER IN  
**PAINTS, GLASS & VARNISHES**  
Cynthiana, Ky.

HAVING established a new shop in Jones' Row, opposite the Withers mansion, I am prepared to do  
**PAINTING**  
In all its branches. I shall devote my personal attention to the business, and keep an experienced workman at the shop. Any one wishing plans in large or small quantities would do well by giving me a call.  
Dec. 16, 1868-19. WM. M. NOURSE.

**The Celebrated**  
**GROVER & BAKER**  
Family Sewing Machine!  
**ELASTIC STITCH.**  
**Mrs. Mary E. Hoffman.**  
Permanent Agt.; Cynthiana.

THIS machine is conceded to be the best machine now in use, and is warranted to give satisfaction. Persons desiring to purchase a machine would do well to give me a call. I can be found on the second floor of the **STONE FRONT**, where I will be pleased in showing the machine, and where I will be happy to see my friends and the public generally.  
Dec. 9, 1868-19.

**H. M. SWOPE,**  
Merchant Tailor,  
Manufacturer and Dealer in  
**READY MADE CLOTHING**  
Madison Street,  
Opp. 7th St. Market, COVINGTON, KY  
November 4, 1868-19.

**For Sale.**  
**SPLENDID FARM**  
**For Sale.**

HAVING DETERMINED TO REMOVE to Missouri, I offer for sale, privately, my farm containing  
**237 ACRES**  
Within one mile of Cynthiana, on the Millersburg pike. It is considered the best and finest improved place in Harrison county; has a new,  
**Fine Brick Residence,**  
Two-story front and ell, with 14 rooms and halls. The outbuildings, fruit and water cannot be surpassed. The soil is superior; 150 acres in blue grass the remainder under cultivation.  
This is a splendid stock tavern stand.  
J. W. MUSSELMAN.  
January 13, 1869-19.

**HARRISON COUNTY**  
**Farm For Sale**  
**By Executors!**

WE, AS EXECUTORS OF JOHN M. Kimbrough, dec'd, will offer for sale  
**On Tuesday March 2nd 1869**  
At the late residence of deceased, one mile West of Cynthiana, Kentucky, about  
**255 ACRES**

Of land on the waters of Gray's run; being the farm on which deceased resided at the time of death. This farm is in a high state of cultivation, and the soil is equal that of any in the State. The improvements consist of a No. 1 frame dwelling, containing 6 large rooms, a large hall and a portico, and back porch, good servant houses, barn, carriage house, and all necessary out buildings. Four-fifths of the land is susceptible of cultivation. On the place is a large spring of never-failing water, capable of running a distillery of the largest size. Also, a fine young

**Apple Orchard.**  
And good well of water.  
Widow's dower released. Possession given immediately. Also at the same time and place, we will offer for sale

**200 ACRES OF LAND**  
In Breathitt county, Ky., on Millstone branch of Quicksand river, abounding with the finest quality of  
**CANNEL COAL.**  
Also, at the same time and place, about

**500 BARRELS OF CORN,**  
In pens and cribs on the home place. Also, two yoke of superior work Oxen; one Bull, thorough bred; five thorough bred Milch Cows, with two sucking calves; one yearling Steer; one fat heifer; two yearling calves;

**Five Brood Mares in Foal;**  
Seven mule Colts; one work horse; one superior one horse rockaway and harness, nearly new; one self-raking, Atkins';

**Mower & Reaper;**  
Lot of sheep Oats in mow; one superior cooking stove and fixtures; one superior six horse heavy iron-axled wagon; one superior plank roller, with iron roll through it; double set of carriage Harness; lot of ploughing and wagon harness and gearing Plows, Chains, and in fact all necessary farming implements.

**TERMS.**  
The land will be sold in three equal payments, one-third cash, one-third in 12 months, and one-third in 2 years; bearing six per cent. interest from date, with privilege of paying all down, or at any time before maturity and stop the interest. The CORN will be sold in lots of ten barrels with the privilege of taking the whole of it. All sums under \$20, cash in hand, over that sum, on a credit of six months with approved security.  
J. E. & W. W. KIMBROUGH, Ex'rs.  
February 10, 1869-3w.  
S. M. HIBLER, Auctioneer,  
228 Cynthiana News, True Kentuckian, and Farmers Home Journal copy till day and charge this office.

**HENDRICKS & ALLEN,**  
**Architects & Builders**  
Cynthiana, Ky.

HAVING PERMANENTLY LOCATED in Cynthiana, we are prepared to furnish  
**PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS,**  
With estimates accompanying the same, on short notice, for all class of

**BUILDINGS**  
**LUMBER,**  
for job work. Our motto  
"Satisfaction Given and Small Profits."  
Give us a call and realize the fact.  
HENDRICKS & ALLEN.  
Sept. 9, 1868.

**For Sale.**  
**City Property**  
**FOR SALE.**

NO. 6.  
**Also, One Double Cottage,**  
Each part containing 2 commodious rooms and kitchen, lot 40 feet front on Locust Street running back West 200 feet and now renting for \$204 per year.  
January 6, 1869-3m.

NO. 7.  
**Also, One Good Frame House.**  
With 2 comfortable rooms; lot 40 feet front on Water Street, running back East 200 feet and now renting for \$120 per year.  
January 6, 1869-3m.

NO. 8.  
**Also, one Choice Building Lot.**  
Fronting on Locust Street 100 feet running back West 200 feet.  
January 6, 1869-3m.

NO. 9.  
Also, one 2 story  
**Brick Dwelling House,**  
Containing 7 commodious rooms, 2 dry cellars, kitchen, and servants bed-room, with a good new house and other outbuilding, and a most excellent well of never failing water within 15 feet of the kitchen door; lot four fourths Water Street, 35 feet and runs back 247; this house and lot is the most retired and desirable location in Cynthiana, Ky., for a family residence.  
Persons desiring to purchase property in this city will avail themselves of information by calling upon me at my office in the Commercial Bank Building.  
W. S. HAYLAND, Real Estate Agent.  
January 6, 1869-3m.

**HARRISON COUNTY**  
**FARM FOR SALE!**

HAVING succeeded G. R. Sharp, Esq., in the Milling business in Cynthiana, Ky., I am desirous of selling my farm 6 miles West of Cynthiana, containing

**200 ACRES,**  
50 in cultivation, 130 in blue grass, and 20 in clover. On the farm is a comfortable

**FRAME DWELLING,**  
Containing 8 rooms, hall, and cellar, Ice and Smoke house, Stabling, and all other heretofore convenient to church and school house. Possession will be given 1st of March next. Terms will be made easy.—Persons desiring to apply to my authorized agent, W. S. Hayland, office Commercial Bank Building, Cynthiana, Ky., or

**A No. 1**  
**FARM FOR SALE!**  
I OFFER FOR SALE PRIVATELY, MY farm containing

**152 1-2 Acres,**  
Situated 3 miles South-West of Cynthiana, on the Cynthiana and Leesburg Turnpike. Said farm is considered one of the best of its size in Harrison county.

**50 Acres of Timber,**  
Well set in blue grass, the remainder is in a high state of cultivation, with 10 Acres in Wheat, which looks well. There are 2 never failing springs, besides stock water of great abundance. The house is a

**Two Story Frame Dwelling**  
Double Porch with large hall and 5 GOOD comfortable rooms, back porch, and cook room attached. Rooms for servants in the yard. Also, a most excellent house and hen house, all in good repair.

**THE BARN IS NEW,**  
Having been built in the past year. Persons wishing to purchase are invited to call and examine the farm. Mr. N. H. Rowland, who resides on the premises, will take pleasure in showing it.  
A general warranty deed made and possession given 1st March. For further information apply to W. P. or J. T. Hedges, or N. H. Rowland.  
SARAH E. HEDGES.  
January 20, 1869-19.

**Public Sale**  
—OF—  
**STOREHOUSE & DWELLING**  
In Connersville,  
Harrison County, Ky.

I WILL OFFER TO THE HIGHEST bidder, (if not sold privately before),  
**On Tuesday March 2, 1869,**  
A splendid two story new frame  
**DWELLING & STOREHOUSE!**  
The dwelling containing seven rooms, all furnished off in good style. For terms &c., call on me at Lair's Station.  
JAMES M. MEGIBBEN.  
February 10, 1869-19.

**F. SMITH & SON,**  
Dealers in every variety of  
**Iron, Steel and Heavy Hardware,**  
ALSO,  
**SPRINGS, AXLES & WOOD WORK,**  
For Carriages, Wagons &c.  
**No. 16 Pike St.,**  
Covington, Ky.  
Sept. 9, 1868-19.



# THE DEMOCRAT.

JAMES M. PARRISH, Publisher.

THURSDAY, FEB. 25, 1869.

## Poetry.

For the Cynthia. Democrat.

### MY WIFE.

When I am overwhelmed with cares,  
Or sunk in grief, or drowned in tears,  
There's one who all my sorrow shares,  
And weeps with me.—My wife.

When I'm forsaken by my friends,  
On whom my usefulness depends,  
There's one whose friendship never ends  
While life remains.—My wife.

Though slender with her person's dart  
Should pierce and wound me to the heart,  
There's one who stands ready to impart  
The healing balm.—My wife.

When sickness racks my limbs with pain,  
Or wild delirium seizes my brain,  
There's one to soothe, when I complain,  
With sympathy.—My wife.

Should passion like a tempest rage,  
Or fiery zeal my soul engage,  
Her voice will quell the storm assuage:  
The voice of peace.—My wife.

When this frail mortal body lies  
Upon my last sick bed and dies,  
May she be there, to close my eyes,  
May heaven reward.—My wife.

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HEADQUARTERS, Ky., Feb. 20th 1869.

The Fair grounds and cottage  
was rented on Saturday last, to T. J.  
Campbell, for one year for \$200.

There is a gap of mud road run-  
ning from Broadwells cross-roads to  
Townsend, a distance of two miles. If  
this gap was piked, trade that now goes  
to Georgetown in the winter season,  
would come here.

An Irishman in the employ of  
Chas. Tuls of Fayette, as a dayman, be-  
came suddenly deranged a few days  
since and was taken to the asylum at  
Lexington.

David Burk sold on Monday last,  
to Richard Bundy, a lot fronting fifty  
feet on Walnut street, running back to  
the railroad, for \$1,518; part cash, and  
deferred payments, bearing 6 per cent.  
interest.

The Harrison House lease and  
fixtures are for sale, Mr. Rowland hav-  
ing made arrangements to take the  
Southern, at Lexington. See advertisement.

People at a distance to whom we  
send this paper will please remit \$2 and  
have us enter their names permanently  
on our list.

For short business cards we charge  
\$15 a year or \$10 for six months.

John W. Urnston has sold the  
steam engine he advertised in this pa-  
per last week, and says he has had nu-  
merous applications since. The adver-  
tisements of this paper are so hand-  
somerly gotten up that people all read  
them.

It will be seen by reference to the  
head of our columns, that Mr. Musser  
appears this week as Editor and Man-  
ager. To prevent mistakes and delays,  
all communications relating to the  
affairs of the DEMOCRAT should be ad-  
dressed to him.

Mr. Nick Moore informs us that  
on Tuesday next he will begin the survey  
of the Cynthia and Connersville pike.  
This is the opening ball for the coming  
season of improvements. Mr. Moore is  
an excellent surveyor. When the  
writer of this was a boy he carried "the  
chain" a few days for Mr. Moore while  
surveying the route for our railroad.

Farm lands are renting from \$5  
to \$10 per acre. A great amount of soil  
land is being broken up; farmers are  
preparing to plant a large crop of corn.

The distilling interests here amply  
justify the planting of a great breadth of  
land in this grain. They are but in their  
infancy and are as sure as the demand for  
whisky, which is as sure as the demand  
for bread. It is not for us to go into a  
disquisition upon the morals of this  
question. As an organ of the manufac-  
turing and other interests here we deal  
in facts as they are and the conclusions  
to be drawn from them.

Hon. I. T. Martin, Senator from  
this county, does not remember author-  
izing the True Kentuckian or any body  
else to say, that the Legislature would  
re-consider its action relative to the late  
very just reduction of way tariff on the  
Kentucky Central Railroad. This re-  
duction amounts to about one third, and  
brings the charges of this road down to  
something like two or three times as  
much as other roads charge.

On last Sunday night, Mr. Frank  
McMillen, late a gallant Confederate  
soldier, was married to Miss Belle Cooper,  
both of this county, in the parlor of  
the Smith House. It seemed to be a run-  
away match, so popular in Kentucky.  
From the appearance of the parties, and  
the number of friends who accompanied  
them, we have no doubt it will be as  
happy a one as the bride was pretty  
and the groom gallant.

The amateur Theatricals of last  
week were quite a success. 'Captain  
Jinks', was rendered as well as any  
similar piece we have ever seen on any  
boards. The orations of Spinola could  
not have been excelled. The 'big sun-  
flower' and 'Jig' by Eugene Warnock  
were encored on every night. The dra-  
mas, 'Bolts and Bars,' and 'Irish As-  
surance' were so well cast and executed  
that they achieved every night that  
which alone can repay an amateur, the  
continued merriment and applause of  
the audience.

This society contemplate giving an-  
other series of entertainments a month  
or so hence, and among the plays already  
selected is one entitled "Ten nights in a  
bar-room" dramatized from one of T. S.  
Arthur's temperance stories.

Of every species of exhibition, we de-  
cidedly prefer those gotten up by the  
young gentlemen and ladies of country  
towns. Of these the best are those en-  
gineered by the young ladies. They  
never fail. Not only are they more  
quick and ready in divining and ren-  
dering the characters they assume they  
bring also to bear the witchery of their  
bright eyes and feminine graces that no  
audience of home people can resist.

Whenever the young ladies have a hand  
in such entertainments, a success may  
fairly be considered guaranteed. Besides  
the order both of the arrangements and  
of the house is understood to be guaran-  
teed perfect, on account of the respect of  
the people present for the fair actors, as  
well as for similar respect, for their  
'big brothers,' which latter we must all  
frankly admit has a softening effect on  
the affairs of the world.

It takes young men so long to learn  
that drinking is not a necessary require-  
ment of the situation, and this weak-  
ness is so well understood by the public,  
that only after a success or two, can  
these dramatic associations fairly claim  
the public favor.

At the entertainments of last week,  
the music, amateur also, was of an ex-  
cellent variety and contributed largely  
to the enjoyment of the audience and  
the success of the plays.

The ball at the Smith House on  
last Monday night was a very superior  
affair. Not only was there present an  
array of beauty such as Kentucky ex-  
hibits in, but the happiness of the even-  
ing was of that even flow that lasts so  
well.

We noticed with pleasure that the  
little drinking was done by the young  
men, and almost none by the ladies.  
At midnight the party moved up stairs  
to the supper room where was spread a  
magnificent repast so bountifully pro-  
vided, that the guests, the stray boys, the  
attendants and all could not make way  
with it. The night freight trains came  
along about this time and our generous  
host called in the men from them to  
partake.

One untoward and most unfortunate  
accident marred the happiness of the  
occasion. A span of nettlesome horses  
while crossing the bridge took fright at  
a drunken man, who brute like lay in  
the middle of it, and wheeling, turned  
back and ran at breakneck speed up the  
street. Two gentlemen were in the car-  
riage, going over the river to bring la-  
dies to the party. Mr. Geo. Williams  
climbed out behind, when opposite the  
bank, without much injury. Mr. Griffith  
was not so fortunate, he jumped out  
opposite Wittman's saloon and was un-  
fortunate enough to break his leg. The  
team brought up against a tressel work  
at Peck, Vanhook & Co's distillery in a  
general smash.

The driver had jumped out in the  
bridge when the horses turned, to catch  
and hold them which in the dark and  
fright he failed to do. After that the  
gentlemen were at the mercy of the  
team over which they had no control  
and perhaps under the circumstances  
they did well to come out no worse.

A. W. Lydick reports property  
having sold on the 17th inst., at the  
sale of Felix Ashbrook, as follows:

20 head of two year old cattle at about  
7c; gross calves \$30 per head; horses  
from \$50 to \$230; hogs from 10 to 12c;  
corn in crib \$3.50 per barrel; sheep oats  
36 cents per doz.; all other property at  
fair prices.

Also for Stephen Lowry, of Fayette,  
on the following day, his farm of 961  
acres, to A. T. Carrich, for \$90 05 per  
acre; cattle and horses at good prices;  
sheep \$15 per head; hogs \$10 per hun-  
dred; sheep oats per doz. 31 cents; corn  
in crib \$2.25 per barrel.

Also for William Bumbarger, Tuesday  
the 23rd inst: horses from \$85 to \$162;  
milk cows from \$61 to \$119 each; calves  
\$21; Oats brought 49 cents per dozen.  
Property of all descriptions sold well.  
Four months credit. The day was  
rough and cold, with snow and sleet,  
yet the attendance was good, and bid-  
ding spirited.

The comparative rates of oats and  
corn at sales in Fayette and Harrison as  
indicated above suggests its own con-  
clusion.—[ED. DEMOCRAT.

## Whisky News of the Week.

Peck, Vanhook & Co., of this place will  
begin operations to-day with a mash of 240  
bushels.

Henry Thomas, of Paris, has sold 10 1/2  
barrels of his 4 year old steam copper at  
\$6.50. The reputation of this whisky is  
said to be scarcely second to any "straight  
copper."

Dilla & Ziler near this place, will begin  
to mash on the 1st of March.

Olids, Willmore & Co., of Nicholasville,  
sold 200 barrels of their make at \$1.10.  
Carter & McDonald are mashing 200  
bushels at their new distillery, near Chil-  
burg.

The 7th district consists of the counties of  
Bourbon, Scott, Nicholas, Woodford, Frank-  
lin, Fayette, Jessamine, and Lincoln.

Next after the 6th (this) the 7th is the  
greatest whisky district in the State.

Buckner & Bedford of Paris, sold a lot of  
their make at \$1.10.

Castleman, of Frankfort sold 1,000 barrels  
steam copper at \$1.25.

J. H. Lair, and Gray & Craig of this  
county are in full blast with their "straight  
copper."

The following is a comparative view of  
quantity made in the 7th District in Janu-  
ary.

Bourbon; 148,216; Scott, 67,913; Nicholas,  
5,539; Woodford, 38,910; Franklin, 53,118;  
Fayette, 48,283; Jessamine, 25,841; Lincoln,  
4,912; Gallons.

We are delayed in getting the returns of  
quantity made and tax paid in this district  
(the 6th Ky.) It will appear in our next.

HOOKESTOWN, Nicholas Co., Ky.,  
Feb. 23d, 1869.

Editors Democrat:

I send you the follow-  
ing items for your paper: Robert Chancy  
has started his distillery near this place,  
where he proposes to manufacture the  
best article of straight copper whisky.

Jones & Cheatham near here have  
started their distillery, with Skillman  
Howard as store-keeper. They also  
manufacture straight-copper whisky.

J. G. B.

By reference to our advertising  
columns it will be seen that the sale of  
the Kimbro' farm and stock will come  
off on Tuesday the 2nd of March. This  
is one of the finest farms in Kentucky  
and in perfect repair and cultivation.

A part of the estate consisting of valu-  
able Canal-land mines in Breathitt coun-  
ty, will be sold at the same time, sepa-  
rately. There will also be sold five  
hundred barrels of corn, and various  
heads of stock, and farming implements.  
The place is about a mile from Cynthia-  
ana.

The Georgetown Times makes a  
very sensible suggestion that a Stage  
line be started between that place and  
this, and that this be made the point for  
Scott county people to reach the railroad.

There is already a good turnpike be-  
tween us, the distance is comparatively  
short, and the good feeling of the peo-  
ple of this county and those of Scott  
could not be more appropriately dis-  
played than in joining together by an  
established and regular line of travel.

The day certainly is not far distant  
when we will be in direct railroad con-  
nexion with Georgetown. Let us have  
a stage line in the meantime. Let us  
have a daily, a tri-weekly or a weekly  
to start with. There is no reason why  
Scott should be insulated from us. We  
are in their direct way to Cincinnati and  
the East.

Covington Live Stock Market.

COVINGTON, KY., Feb. 22, 1869.

Editor Democrat:

I have the pleasure  
to report the following arrivals of stock  
for the week ending 21st: 240 cattle, 240  
sheep and 650 hogs.

Arrivals of cattle being in excess of  
demand. The market has ruled very  
dull during the entire week. We quote  
best butcher's stuff at 7c to 7 1/2c. Second  
quality 6c. 6 1/2c. Third quality (mean  
to common) 4 1/2c to 5 1/2c. Sales slow and  
but few bringing the highest quotations.  
About 90 head left over unsold.

Sheep in good demand, all offered be-  
ing sold at from 4 to 6c according to  
quality.

Arrivals of hogs unusually heavy,  
with but very little demand. Butchers  
using but few and a poor shipping de-  
mand. We quote best hogs at 10c to 11c.  
The whole range of prices for hogs of  
all grades is from 8 to 11c. But 2 car  
loads (120 head) left over.

J. B. FOSTER, Commission Merchant  
and Live Stock Broker, reporter for the  
Cynthia. Democrat.

CYNTHIANA MARKETS.

Rio Coffee 24 a30c.

Java " 40 a45c.

Crush, Pow. and Gran. Sugars 20a22c.

A. Coffee Sugar 18a20c.

Porto Rico " 16a17c.

Demarara " 17a19c.

Cheese 23 a25c.

Molasses and Syrups 85a140.

Teas \$2 00a2 75.

Coal Oil 40a60c.

Tobacco 90a140.

Soda 9a12c.

Manilla Rope 25 a35c.

Buckets, per doz. \$3 00a3 25.

Brooms 2 75a3 50.

Tallow Candles 18 a20c.

Star " 27 a30c.

Soap 9a12c.

Starch 10a12c.

Spices 45 a55c.

Potatoes, per bush. 90a100.

Nails, per keg, 10l 80 25.

Cement, per bbl. 4 00.

Flour, per cwt. \$5a5 75.

Coffee 24 a28c.

Nails 5a7c.

Rice "Cara." 12a15c.

Brooms, per doz. \$3 50a4 00.

Dried Apples 12a15c.

" Peaches 18 a20c.

Green Apples, per bbl. \$5 00a6 00.

Bourbon Whisky, per gal. \$3 00a3 75.

## WANTED.

500 cords of Wood to be delivered by the  
1st of June, for which we will pay  
the highest cash price.  
WEBSTER & HODGES.  
February 25, 1869-4w.

For Rent,  
Rooms on Pike Street, suitable for office  
or sleeping room.  
WEBSTER & HODGES.  
February 25, 1869-3w.

A Boy or young man, to work in this  
office. He must be prepared to main-  
tain himself until he can earn wages.

New Advertisements.

MERRITT JAMISON,  
Dealer in choice

Family Groceries,  
As good as the best, and on fair terms; so-  
licit a share of the public patronage, at  
Fred Rohitser's old stand, on Main Street,  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
February 25, 1869-1y

WM. COLVIN,  
House, Sign and

ORNAMENTAL PAINTER,  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
Graining, Glazing, Paper-Hanging &c.,  
executed on short notice, at reasonable  
prices. feb25 6m.

To All Whom it May Concern.

I WILL pay the freight on all wheat and  
corn shipped from Kiser, Shuckhase, or  
Cynthiana, to my mill for the purpose of  
grinding and return flour. Business at-  
tended to promptly.

A. K. LAIR.  
Lairs, February 25, 1869.

HOTEL LEASE

—AND—  
Fixtures For Sale.

HAVING leased the Southern Hotel at  
Lexington, the lease of the

HARRISON HOUSE  
At Cynthiana, together with all its fixtures  
are for sale. Possession given immediately.

February 25, 1869-4f H. ROWLAND.

T. J. MEGIBBEN. J. MAC KIMBROUGH.

STONE FRONT.

WE WOULD CALL THE ATTEN-  
tion of our friends and the public  
generally, that we have this day reduced  
the prices of our

Fall and Winter  
Dress Goods, without regard to cost, as we  
are determined to sell, to make room for  
our Spring Stock. Now is the time to buy  
best quality of

PRINTS,  
13 1/2a15, Bleached cotton, 15a16 1/2a18, 20, 25  
and 30.

Bleached & Brown Sheetings  
At the lowest rates. We desire to call at-  
tention of all persons who wish to purchase  
Carpet, that we are selling all kinds, at  
Cincinnati prices.

Brussels  
Hartford 3 ply, the best quality of twoply  
Hemp, Rag &c.,

RUGS AND DOOR MATS,  
Oil Cloth, Straw and Mattings. Prices  
guaranteed in all cases. Oil cloth for table  
covers, in Mahogany, Walnut, Oak and  
Marble colors.

Linon Window Shades,  
Paper Shades, Wall Paper and Bordering,  
in great variety.

SHOES,  
J. H. Deters best quality of Ladies' and  
Misses' Lasting Gaiters, custom-made La-  
dies' and Misses' Morocco and Kid Boots,  
custom-made childrens' Morocco and Kid  
Boots.

HATS AND CAPS,  
Our merchant tailoring, will be contin-  
ued under the management of Mr. M.  
Shaughnessy, who will give his entire at-  
tention to that department, and warrant  
satisfaction in every case, to all who give  
him a call.

MEGIBBEN & KIMBROUGH.

We will continue the Dress Making and  
Millinery at our old stand, in the Stone  
Front, up stairs, where we will be pleased  
to see all of our old friends and all others  
who desire any thing in our line.

MRS. KENARD & HOFFMAN.  
February 25, 1869-4f

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the  
firm of Cuson, Megibben & Kim-  
brough, must come forward and pay up  
immediately. The notes and accounts hav-  
ing been placed in our hands for collection.  
Our office is at Dr. Otwell's Drug Store, up  
stairs.

T. A. FRAZER & H. W. SHAWHAN.  
February 25, 1869-4f

Dissolution!

THE partnership heretofore existing be-  
tween Leon Cuson, Thomas J. Megibben,  
and James Mac Kimbrough, under the  
style of and firm name of Cuson, Megibben  
and Kimbrough, is this day dissolved by  
mutual consent, Leon Cuson retiring from  
said partnership, the remaining partners  
are entitled to receive all the assets, and  
assume all the liabilities of the late firm of  
Cuson, Megibben & Kimbrough.

LEON CUSON.  
THOMAS J. MEGIBBEN.  
JAS. MAC KIMBROUGH.  
February 25, 1869.

## New Advertisements.

FINE STOCK AT  
Auction.

ON next county court day, March 8th, on  
the public square at Cynthiana, I will  
offer for sale, to the highest bidder,  
ONE BLACK JACK,  
3 years old last July, 14 hands 1 inch high,  
and well broke, also,

One Thoroughbred Bull,  
"Lord Lennox," 3 years old last Spring,  
bred by Wm. Warfield of Fayette, also,  
one fine

Thoroughbred Cow,  
"Sallie Duke," by "Duke" of Andrie (12730)  
out of "Peacocks" 2, A. H. B. Vol. 4, page  
508, with calf by the above named bull.  
W. D. URMSTON.  
February 25, 1869-4w.

PECK & VANHOOK

Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS

Dealers in

Hardware &c.

Keep always on hand a full line of arti-  
cles usually kept in a first class Grocery  
and Variety Store, including Demarara,  
Cuba, and Refined Sugars,

Rio & Java Coffee,

Teas, Syrups, Soaps, Candles, Cordage,  
Nails, Window Glass, Paints, Oils, Var-  
nishes, &c., &c.,

Chewing & Smoking Tobacco,  
Cigars of various brands, French Brandy,  
Sherry, Port, Catawba and other wines,  
all which they will sell at lowest market  
prices, wholesale or retail.

MACEREL Nos. 1 & 2 in half barrels and  
kitts for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

EXTRA Family Flour in barrels and  
sacks for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

10 kegs Nails, assorted sizes, for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

FULL stock of Builders Hardware, Table  
and Pocket cutlery, for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

15 bags Clover and Timothy seed, just re-  
ceived, for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

CHOICE syrups, S. H. & N. O. Molasses  
in barrels and kegs for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

CANNED Fruits, Jellies, Catsups, Pick-  
les, Cove Oysters &c., for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

250 barrels fine old Bourbon Whisky, of  
best brands, for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.

SALT, 100 barrels for sale by  
PECK & VANHOOK.  
February 25, 1869-1y.

C. A. WEBSTER. H. M. HODGES.

WEBSTER & HODGES,  
Dealers in

HARDWARE,  
GROCERIES,  
AND

Country Produce.

HAVING the largest and best selected  
stock of goods in the market we can  
afford our friends and the public  
generally

BARGAINS IN EVERYTHING  
We keep constantly on hand a complete  
assortment of Hardware, choice Groceries  
of every description.

Bacon and Lard,  
Choice brands of Flour, (cheaper than any-  
body's) Dried Fruits,

Field and Garden Seeds.

Shoemakers' Findings, Oak and Spanish  
Sole Leather, French and city Calf Skins,  
Kip and Upper Leather,

Blacksmith's Aprons,  
Harness Leather &c., Horse collars, chains,  
Hames, Painters and Glaziers Findings,  
Paints, Oils, and Dye Stuffs, Everything,  
Everything.

February 25, 1869.

CYNTHIANA FLOURING  
MILL

HAVING purchased of G. R. Sharpe his  
extensive Flouring Mill in Cynthiana, it is  
now undergoing a renovation and thorough  
repair, and with a

New Smut Machine

We feel warranted in saying that we can  
furnish the best flour for baking purposes  
for family use ever offered in this market.  
Our facilities are, and will be such, as to  
enable us to defy all competition, and we  
earnestly

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**Professional Cards.**

**W. W. KIMBROUGH,**  
**ATTORNEY AT LAW**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
January 6, 1889-3m.

**ISAAC HODGES**  
**ATTORNEY AT LAW**  
Office on Pike Street between Main and Walnut.  
Jan. 6 '89, 3m.

**W. G. BRUCE, M. D.**  
**SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN.**  
CYNTHIANA KENTUCKY.  
Besides general practice, Dr. Bruce gives special attention to **SURGERY.** Office, next door to the POSTOFFICE, where the Doctor may generally be found. Residence, at Mrs. Murphy's, on Main street.  
Jan. 6, '89, 4f.

**J. H. RICHTER, M. D.**  
**Near Cynthiana, Ky.**  
WILL ATTEND PROFESSIONAL calls.  
Jan. 6, '89, 4f.

**A. Perrin,**  
**Attorney at Law**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
Office in Commercial Bank Building, up Stairs.  
Will practice his profession in this and adjoining counties. Collections promptly attended to.  
Sept. 16-1f

**WM. C. MARSHALL,**  
Augusta, Ky.  
**C. W. WEST,**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
**MARSHALL & WEST,**  
**Attorneys at Law,**  
CYNTHIANA, KY.  
OFFICE—North East Corner of the Court House.  
Mr. Marshall will regularly attend the terms of the Circuit and Criminal Courts.  
Dec. 2, 1888-4f.

**E. J. PECKOVER,**  
**Resident - - Dentist,**  
Office Cor. Main and Pike,  
OVER NORTHCUTT'S DRY GOOD STORE,  
CYNTHIANA, KY.

**ALL OPERATIONS PERTAINING**  
to the profession executed Scientifically and Satisfactorily at Cincinnati prices.  
Sept. 9, 1888.

**JOHN H. FRYER,**  
**Attorney at Law**  
And Real Estate Agent,  
**BUTLER, KY.**  
Collections receive Prompt Attention.  
January 20, 1889.

**Jas. L. Griffith,**  
**ATTORNEY AT LAW,**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
OFFICE IN N. E. CORNER OF COURT House, up stairs.  
January 20, 1889-3m.

**Blacksmiths.**

**A. ECKNEW.**  
**J. W. BOYD.**  
**EGNEW & BOYD,**  
**Blacksmith and Wagon Makers,**  
CONNESSVILLE.  
HAYING employed Mr. Peter Kramer, a wagon maker, well known to the community and having largely increased our facilities for manufacturing  
**WAGONS.**  
We are now prepared at shortest notice to make the best of Wagon. All new work warranted for twelve months.  
Dec. 16, 1888-3m.

**JOHN COLLINS,**  
**Blacksmith**  
**SHOP,**  
At the end of Main Street near the bridge.  
HE WILL DO ALL KINDS OF BLACKSMITHING in the best style.  
**Horses Shod Promptly.**  
And good work done. He solicits a share of public patronage.  
Sept. 9, 1888-3m.

**PATRICK NELLON,**  
**BLAKSMITH & HORSESHOER**  
CORNER PIKE AND BRIDGE STREETS,  
CYNTHIANA, KY.  
WILL DO ALL KINDS OF BLACKSMITHING in the very best manner. Particular attention paid to horse shoeing, and will warrant satisfaction, Sept 9

**John M. Stump,**  
**Carriage & Wagon**  
**BUILDER & REPAIRER,**  
near Rocky Springs.  
WOODWORK and Ironing done to order. He is prepared to do all work in his line in a workmanlike manner, and on fair and reasonable terms.  
Dec. 16, 1888-3m.

**Job Printing!**  
Executed Promptly at this Office.

**Miscellaneous.**

**WM. M. NOURSE,**  
House, Sign and Ornamental Painter,  
Grainer, Gilder & Paper Hanger,  
AND DEALER IN  
**PAINTS, GLASS & VARNISHES**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
HAVING established a new shop in Jones' Row, opposite the Withers mansion, I am prepared to do  
**PAINTING**  
In all its branches. I shall devote my personal attention to the business, and keep an experienced workman at the shop. Any one wishing paints in large or small quantities would do well by giving me a call.  
Dec. 16, 1888-4f. WM. M. NOURSE.

**The Celebrated**  
**GROVER & BAKER**  
**Family Sewing Machine!**  
**ELASTIC STITCH.**  
**Mrs. Mary E. Hoffman.**  
**Permanent Agt., Cynthiana.**  
THIS machine is conceded to be the best Machine now in use, and is warranted to give satisfaction. Persons desiring to purchase a machine would do well to give me a call. I can be found on the second floor of the **STONE FLOTT**, where I will be pleased in showing the machine, and where I will be happy to see my friends and the public generally.  
Dec. 9, 1888 4f.

**H. M. SWOPE,**  
**Merchant Tailor,**  
Manufacturer and Dealer in  
**READY MADE CLOTHING**  
Madison Street,  
Opp. 7th St. Market, COVINGTON, KY  
November 4, 1888-4f.

**Jewelry.**

**Riekel & Rauh,**  
We always keep on hand a very large assortment of fine gold, silver and steel frame  
  
And would call especial attention to our  
**TELESCOPIC PEBBLE GLASS S.**  
In extra heavy silver frames and manufactured expressly for us.  
A full assortment of **John Holland's** celebrated Gold Pens always on hand, and warranted.  
We offer to sell at the very lowest prices.

**WATCHES & JEWELRY**  
Repaired, and all work warranted. Gold and Silver taken in exchange for all kinds of goods.  
Sept. 9, 1888-4f.

**John A. Daller,**  
(In Mrs. Bents' new building.)  
**PIKE STREET**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
I am prepared to do all kinds of  
**REPAIRING,**  
On short notice, and at reasonable prices.  
November 4, 1888-4f.

**ALEX. WHITMAN'S.**  
**Confectioner.**  
CORNER MAIN ST. and JONES' RO  
**CYNTHIANA, KY**  
KEEPS ON HAND THE LARGES and choicest assortment of  
**FRENCH AND COMMON CANDIES.**  
Ever brought to this city. Nuts of all kinds, raisins, figs, dates, currants, lardines, cane oysters, all kinds of canned fruits, and in fact every thing to be found in a first class confectionery.

**COLOMBO**  
**RESTAURANT,**  
Where I will at all times keep good things to satisfy the palates of the most fastidious.  
**Oysters, Fish, Game Turkeys**  
Chickens, &c., &c., and will serve up at any time a first class meal. I have connected with my Restaurant, a fine  
**SALOON;**  
Where the best of drinks can always be had. My Bourbon Whisky is a superior article.  
**FRESH LAGER BEER,**  
Always on hand. My friends are invited to call.  
ALEX. WHITMAN.  
Dec. 16, 1888-3m.

**Grocery.**

**I. T. MARTIN.**  
**R. M. MARTIN.**  
**I. T. MARTIN & BRO.**

**LIQUOR DEALERS,**  
**GROCERIES!**  
**AND**  
**Hardware!**

**PURE BOURBON WHISKY,**  
**Wines, Brandy**  
**Builders'**  
**HARDWARE!**

**Nails, Sash,**  
**Sugar,**  
**Coffee,**  
**Tea,**  
**Rice,**  
**Soda,**  
**BUCKWHEAT FLOUR,**  
**Dried Apples,**  
**DRIED PEACHES!**  
**OILS, GLASS, PUTTY,**  
**Paints, Colors,**  
**Washington Flour**  
**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
I. T. MARTIN & BRO.  
Jan. 13, 1889-1y.

**THE DEMOCRAT.**

**WEST & MUSSER,**  
**PUBLISHERS & PROPRIETORS.**

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**Rates of Advertising**  
PER SQUARE OF 1 INCH:  
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Three Months - - - \$5 00  
Twelve Months - - - 12 00  
Job Work executed with neatness and despatch, on reasonable terms.

**Kentucky Central Rail Road.**  
UP TRAINS.  
Leave Covington at 6.00, A. M. and 2.00 P. M.  
Arrive at Cynthiana at 9.15, A. M., and 5.15, P. M.  
Arrive at Lexington at 11.00, A. M., and 7.00, P. M.  
Arrive at Nicholasville at 11.43, A. M., and 8.10, P. M.  
DOWN TRAINS.  
Leave Nicholasville at 4.30, A. M., and 12.17 P. M.  
Leave Lexington at 5.29, A. M., and 1.00, P. M.  
Arrive at Cynthiana at 7.28, A. M., and 2.40, P. M.  
Arrive at Covington at 10.50, A. M., and 6.00, P. M.  
Both trains run through between Covington and Nicholasville.

**County Directory.**  
I. T. Martin, Legislature.  
M. D. Martin  
J. S. Boyd, Judge Criminal Court.  
J. R. Curry, Judge County Court.  
A. J. Best, Clerk Circuit Court.  
Perry Wherritt, Clerk County Court.  
C. W. West, County Attorney.  
M. L. Broadwell, U. S. Ass't Assessor.  
James N. Frazer, Sheriff.  
Richard W. Robertson, Deputy Sheriff.  
Harvey Rowland, Coroner.  
Wm. South, County Assessor.  
W. B. Glave, Constable.

**City Directory.**  
Geo. Lemmon, Mayor.  
Jas. L. Griffith, City Clerk.  
H. J. Baker, City Marshal.

**Mail Directory.**  
**MAILS**  
NORTH CLOSE SOUTH CLOSE  
7 A. M. & 2.15 P. M. 9 A. M. & 3 P. M.  
ARRIVE ARRIVE  
7.30 A. M. & 2.45 P. M. 9.15 A. M. & 5.15 P. M.  
INTERIOR  
Cynthiana, Broadwell, Rutland, Connersville, Leesburg, Oxford and Georgetown, ARRIVES Mondays and Thursdays, 12 M.  
DEPARTS " " 1 P. M.  
Cynthiana, Oddville, Claysville, Harlanville, and thence to Keokuktown, Mount Olivet, Milford and Augusta.  
ARRIVES Tuesdays and Fridays 12 M.  
DEPARTS " " 1 P. M.  
**SPECIAL OFFICES**  
Carrys Run and Paxton, on Saturdays.  
Colville, Daily.  
**STATIONER'S OFFICES.**  
Buena Vista, Scotts Station, and Rocky Springs, Daily.  
Cynthiana Office opens 7 A. M., closes 6 P. M.; Sunday 9 to 10 A. M.  
H. M. MAGEE, P. M.

**Masonic.**  
Saint Andrews Lodge No. 18, A. F. and A. M., of Cynthiana, meets regularly on the second Monday of every month.  
I. T. MARTIN, W. M.  
Thomas Ware Lodge, No. 340, A. F. and A. M., of Claysville, in this county, meets regularly on the Saturday on or before the full moon of each month. Transient brethren are invited to attend.  
THOS. A. ROBERTSON, W. M.  
Colemansville Lodge No. 1, A. F. and A. M., meets on Saturday nights on or before the full moon of each month.  
T. W. Hedges, W. M.  
Wesley Howard, Sec.

**Court Directory.**  
Harrison Circuit Court—Tuesday after the 1st Monday in May and November.  
Criminal Court—Tuesday after the 3rd Monday in March and September.  
County Court—Second Monday in every month.  
**Magistrates' Courts.**  
CYNTHIANA PRECINCT.—Barritt's Court; 4th Monday in December, March, June and September.  
WEBB'S STORE PRECINCT.—Withers' Court 3rd Friday in December, March, June and September.  
CLAYVILLE PRECINCT.—Rankin's Court, 2nd Thursday in December, March, June and September.  
Hamilton's Court, 4th Saturday in December, March, June and September.  
COLMANSVILLE PRECINCT.—Doan's Court, 2nd Friday in December, March, June and September.  
McNees' Court, 4th Wednesday in December, March, June and September.  
RUTLAND PRECINCT.—Burgess' Court, 1st Sunday in December, March, June and September.  
Hinton's Court, 4th Tuesday in December, March, June and September.  
CASON PRECINCT.—Day's Court, 1st Friday in December, March, June and September.  
Vanderen's Court, 4th Friday in December, March, June and September.  
LEASBURGH PRECINCT.—Ford's Court, 2d Wednesday in December, March, June and September.  
Arnett's Court, 4th Thursday in December, March, June and September.

**Religious Notices.**  
At the Catholic Church the second and fourth Sundays of every month, two services in the morning at 8 and 10 o'clock. Vespers and sermon at 7 o'clock in the evening.  
Christian Church.—Preaching on the 1st Lord's day in each month by Elder Samuel Rodgers, on 2nd, 3rd, and 4th by Elder D. W. Case.  
Baptist Church.—Preaching on the Friday night before, and the Sunday night after the first Saturday in each month, by Rev. Mr. Spillman.  
Episcopal Church.—Rev. Mr. Tearnie, will preach in the Episcopal Church the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month, morning and evening.  
Methodist Church.—Rev. J. W. Wightman, Methodist E. Church South, Sunday morning and night.

**Druggists.**

**THOS. F. OTWELL,**  
**DRUGGIST!!**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
WOULD ASK THE ATTENTION OF the public to his large stock of  
**Drugs, Medicines,**  
**Pure Wines,**  
**BRANDIES, WHISKY,** (for medical purposes.)  
**HAIR OILS,**  
PERFUMERY, WHITENING ROUGES,  
**Hair and Tooth Brushes,**  
Dentifrices, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Articles, School Books, Stationery,  
**Paints, Oils,**  
Dye Stuffs, Window Glass, Picture Frames and Mouldings, Cigars,  
**Chewing & Smoking Tobacco,**  
And every article usually kept in a first class Drug Store.  
Prescriptions carefully prepared day or night.  
Sept. 9, 1888-4f.

**J. W. Renaker,**  
**DEALER IN**  
**DRUGS,**  
**Medicines,**  
Chemicals, Paints, Oils,  
**Dye Stuffs, &c.**  
KEEPS A SUPPLY OF  
**Patent Medicines,**  
SCHOOL BOOKS,  
BLANK BOOKS,  
FANCY ARTICLES,  
COAL OIL,  
Lamp and Lamp Fixtures,  
Bourbon Whisky, and fine Liquors for Medical purposes, in fact, a general stock of goods and articles usually kept in Drug Stores, also,  
**CIGARS & TOBACCO**  
Of the best brands.  
Prescriptions carefully prepared at all hours.  
J. W. RENAKER.  
January 6, 1889-6m.

**LATEST NEW YORK NEWS!**  
**LADIES!!**  
**Look Out!!** **Look Out!!**  
"Beautifies the Complexion."  
"Gives a Rosy Glow to the Cheeks."  
"A Ruby Tinge to the Lips."  
"Removes all Blotches and Freckles."  
"The Best in the World."  
**"COSTAR'S"**  
**BEAUTIFIER!!**  
THE  
Bitter-Sweet & Orange Blossoms.  
One Bottle, \$1.00—Three for \$2.00.  
1000 Bottles sold in one day in N. Y. City.  
All Druggists in Cynthiana sell it.  
Or address "Costar," No. 10 Crosby St., N. Y.

**"Costar's"**  
**Standard Preparations**  
ARK  
"Costar's" Rat, Roach &c. Exterminator  
"Costar's" Red Bug Exterminator.  
"Costar's" only pure Insect Powder.  
"All Beware!! of spurious imitations."  
"All Druggists in Cynthiana sell them."  
Address "Costar," 10 Crosby St., N. Y., Or JOHN F. HENRY (Successor to) DEMAS BARNES & Co., 21 Park Row, N. Y. Sold in Cynthiana by  
J. W. RENAKER,  
THOS. F. OTWELL, Druggists,  
January 13, 1889-1y.

**N. S. DICKERSON.** **GEO. T. WILLIAMS.**  
**Dickerson & Williams**  
Auction and  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS**  
No. 36 Pike St., Covington Ky.  
**DEALERS IN**  
**DRY GOODS,**  
CLOTHING, NOTIONS, SEPTOLINE, Coal Oil, Lamps, Willow Ware, &c.  
**Auction Every Night.**  
January 13, 1889-6m.

**Hotels.**

**C. T. WORLEY.** **JOS. M. MOSS.**  
**Southern Hotel,**  
Corner Broadway and Short Streets,  
Lexington, Ky.  
CONVENIENT TO ALL RAILROAD Depots and the business portion of the city.  
**Transient Board per Day, \$3 00**  
**WORLEY & MOSS, Prop'ts.**  
Renovated, Remodeled & Refurnished.  
Sept. 9, 1888-4f.

**Harrison House.**  
Main St., Cynthiana.  
**HARVEY ROWLAND, Proprietor.**  
THIS OLD AND FAVORABLE HOUSE IS NOW IN charge of Harvey Rowland, who will at all times be ready to receive and entertain guests in the handsomest style.  
Sept. 9f

**CENTRAL HOTEL,**  
Cor. of Pike & Washington St.  
(NEAR THE K. C. R. R. DEPOT.)  
COVINGTON, KY.  
October 21, 1888-4f.

**Railroad Exchange,**  
Cynthiana, Ky.  
**Augustus Wittman, - Prop.**  
HAYING LEASED THIS POPULAR HOUSE from Lewis Polinnyre, for a number of years, and having cleaned and renovated the same, is prepared to furnish accommodations to all who may call on him.  
The bar will be furnished with good liquors of all kinds, and fresh beer.  
Give him a call.  
Sept. 9, 1888 4f

**CYNTHIANA HOUSE,**  
**F. FAERBER, Proprietor.**  
THIS POPULAR HOUSE IS NOW IN FINE CONDITION to receive all travelers.  
The finest and purest of Liquors always kept at the bar, also the choicest  
**LAGER BEER.**  
Sept. 9, 1888-1y.

**Saloons.**

**J. M. CRAIGMYLE.** **WM. TURNER.**  
**CRAIGMYLE & TURNER.**  
**COME IN AND TAKE A DRINK!**  
CRAIGMYLE AND TURNER WOULD politely inform the public that they have the finest  
**Old Bourbon**  
In the market, the most superb BRANDIES and the choicest WINES, that are imported, at their fine saloon on Pike Street one door East of Main.  
**TOM GREIER,**  
Is still with them, and will day or night prepare for customers, the best of drinks.  
Sept. 9, 1888-4f


**MAGNOLIA**  
**SALOON!!**  
Completely refitted and handsomely adorned; is opened to the public.  
**JNO. LALLY, Proprietor.**  
HE OFFERS TO THE PUBLIC EVERY inducement that politeness, attention and the best of all kinds of liquors affords. The best of  
**Bourbon, Brandies, Wines,**  
Also, the choicest brands of TOBACCO & CIGARS kept constantly on hand. Open house day and night. Immediately over his saloon, is a splendid  
**Billiard Room.**  
The patronage of the public is politely requested.  
Sept. 9, 1888-1y

**Tinware.**

**OPEN FIRES**  
Need no argument to prove their entire pre-eminence over every other means of heating in use. Besides its cheerfulness, which makes an open fire the most popular and enjoyable, the argument in its favor. Perfect ventilation is absolutely necessary to health. In no way can this be obtained only by the use of an open fire. Our  
**Circular Back and Patent Dome,**  
is one of the greatest improvements in grates of the present day. This grate naturally radiates heat in every direction distributing the rays of heat equally in every part of the room. The shape of this grate, also improves the draft; through its entire concave surface there is a channel of draft created which tends to free the room from dust and smoke, and makes the ventilation perfect. We claim for this grate  
**ECONOMY!**  
If with the same amount of coal you get double the heating surface and double the heat it of course follows that you save greatly in fuel, or keep a much warmer room with the same amount which formerly kept you warm only when "hugging the fire," in either case a greater saving is attained. Call and see them. For sale by  
**H. S. Shannon & Co.**  
Dec. 9, 1888 4f.

**NOTICE.**  
HAYING this day been appointed, by the Judge of the Harrison Circuit Court, Trustee of Wm. Thompson; all persons are notified of said appointment, and warned not to trade with said Thompson, and all owing him will come forward and make settlement with me. Those having accounts against him, by presenting them properly verified, they will be settled.  
Nov 13, 88-4f  
H. M. KELLER.

**Foreign.**

**BOURBON**  
**Marble and Free Stone Works,**  
  
Corner Main and Locust Streets,  
Paris, Ky.  
**W. A. HILL,**  
**DEALER IN FOREIGN AND AMERICAN Marble,**  
**Monuments, Tombs,**  
Tablets, Furniture Tops, Flower Vases, &c.  
**BUILDING WORK**  
Done in the most workmanlike manner, of the best Havana Vesta Free Stone. I defy all competition, both in point of workmanship and price, and guarantee perfect satisfaction in every instance or no sale.  
28 Cemetery Railings at Manufacturers prices.  
November 11, 1888-4f.

**Groceries.**

**H. MAGEE & SON,**  
**GROCERS**  
On Pike Street, Cynthiana, Ky.,  
Just under Democrat Office.  
Highest market prices will be paid for  
**Bacon, Feathers, Rags, Vegetables,**  
And all kinds of country produce. We will only sell the very best of articles, and on the most reasonable terms. We invite the public to call and examine our stock. Remember our New Stand on Pike Street, one door East of Keller, Welch & Co.  
H. MAGEE & SON,  
November 4, 1888-1y.

**MEGEE & EYELETH,**  
**On Main Street,**  
HAVE DISCOVERED THE HAPPY secret, and have on hand every article that is kept in a first class  
**GROCERY!**  
We have an entirely new STOCK OF GOODS, and have taken possession of our new and elegant Store Room, on Main Street. We also deal in  
**Country Produce,**  
And pay the highest cash price for marketing.  
MEGEE & EYELETH.  
Dec. 23, 1888-3m.

**Hardware.**

**HARDWARE!**  
FOR HARDWARE, GO TO  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
For Locks of all kinds  
GO TO  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
Bolts, Hinges, &c.  
FOR ALL KINDS OF BOLTS, HINGES, &c., go to  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
**Carpenters' Tools.**  
A FULL ASSORTMENT AT  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
A large Assortment of  
**WADES & BUTCHERS' SPEAR AND**  
Jacksons, and Essex Files, at  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
**Building Hardware**  
OF ALL KINDS AT  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
A full assortment of  
THE BEST BRANDS OF AXES, HAND Axes, Broad Axes, and Hatchets, at  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
**Pocket and Table Cutlery,**  
THE LARGEST AND FINEST ASSORT, ment in the city, at  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
**Shovels, Spades, Picks, &c.**  
A FULL STOCK, AT  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
**Nails, Nails,**  
CUT AND WROUGHT, AT  
**LONGMOOR & BRO.**  
Sept. 9, 1888-1y.

**ALEX. MONTGOMERY.** **THOS. SINGLETON.**  
**Montgomery & Co.,**  
wholesale and Retail  
**Dealers in Coal of all Kinds.**  
OFFICE, S. E. corner Third and Main Streets, COVINGTON, KY.  
Youghleny, Pomeroy, Hartford City, Kanawha, and Cannel Coal.  
Orders solicited at our office, to which prompt attention will be given and satisfaction guaranteed.  
nov 23-3m.